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# JOHNSON FIRES ANSCOMB

## LIBERAL PARTY HAS BIGGEST HOUSE GROUP

If Premier Johnson forms a Liberal government, as expected, he will probably command a slight majority in the Legislature.

Present standing by party affiliations is: Liberals, 23; Conservatives, 11; C.C.F., 8; Labor, 1; Social Credit, 1; Independent, 1; Coalition, 3. Total 48.

Future of a straight Liberal government would depend on the way the three Coalitionists vote. They are Labor Minister John Cates, H. J. Welch of Comox and B. M. McIntyre of MacKenzie. Should they all support the premier he would command 25 votes, against 22 for combined opponents. The Speaker, Mrs. Nancy Hodges, who is a Liberal, does not vote.

## Authorize Home Power Rate Boost

### Accounts Over \$3 A Month Up Minimum Of \$1 Immediately

Increased residential electricity rates for the B.C. Electric Co. were approved today by the Public Utilities Commission.

They are effective immediately.

Accounts of \$3 a month will not be affected, according to the company. Those over \$3 will be affected "in proportion to consumption" with a minimum increase of \$1 a month per account.

The new rate will be 2.5 cents a kilowatt hour as compared to the old two-cent-a-kilowatt hour charge. It will be applied to what the company calls "second-step" rates.

"We have accepted the company's new schedules and filed them," D. K. Penfold, acting chairman of the P.U.C. announced.

**HITS ALL B.C.**

"Their application was for half a cent increase on second block of domestic residential rate," he added. "The increase will apply to all the company's operations in B.C."

The company presented the schedules for filing Dec. 27. When they are accepted they become a legal, chargeable rate, Penfold said. He added that Victoria City Council was the only group to ask for a meeting with the P.U.C. on the matter.

"Our staff spent the greater part of two weeks in Vancouver, verifying figures the company submitted," he said.

No public hearing was held on the residential rate application as all matters pertaining to the B.C. Electric's rates, costs and expenditures were aired at a public hearing in November and December, when the company asked for an increased rate of return, according to Penfold.

"We have not and do not intend to bring down a decision for some time on that hearing."

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## PREMIER CHARGES 'FLAGRANT BREACH'

Text Of Statement Details 'Disregard Of Constitutional Procedure' By Tory Chief

Text of the announcement issued by the premier's office follows:

Resignation of Hon. Herbert Anscomb as minister of finance and as a minister of the Crown was requested at a cabinet meeting this morning by Premier Byron I. Johnson on grounds of "a flagrant and arrogant disregard of the procedure of constitutional government."

Demand for the resignation came in consequence of Mr. Anscomb's "unwarranted" and precipitate announcement that an agreement had been reached between the two governments in connection with the Dominion-Provincial taxation agreement renewal.

In asking the minister of finance for his resignation, Premier Johnson in a press statement stated that "In spite of repeated violations by Mr. Anscomb of those principles governing the responsibilities of a cabinet min-

isters I have, in the public interest, long refrained from taking this action. I have had no wish to create any instability in our economic and other affairs, but the action of the minister of finance in giving to the press the results of negotiations at Ottawa before he had advised and consulted with his colleagues in the cabinet, constitute such a flagrant and arrogant disregard of the procedure of constitutional government that I had no other alternative."

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"This action on the part of Mr. Anscomb culminates a long series of political reprehensible actions, which in the public's interest I have in the past chosen to ignore in as much as there was so much at stake. There is still a great deal at stake in this province, the success of which can only be achieved by having harmonious government, and this I believe can only be secured by the action I have been compelled to take in face of the circumstances," the premier continued.

**'Deliberately Baited' Colleagues**

For nearly three years the minister of finance has deliberately baited my colleagues and me. He has carried on an open fight with a minister of the Crown in direct contradiction to government policy on the question of removing appointment of King's Counsels from any influence of political importuning.

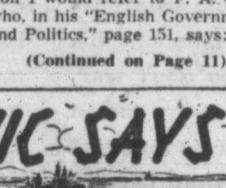
In radio speeches he has given notice of dissolution of Coalition and then at the same time carried on with an arrangement which he admits he does not like. The last session of the Legislature he delivered a budget address which

was drastically amended from the one he presented to Cabinet, the amended speech constituting a public criticism of a fellow minister of the Crown. These and many other instances my colleagues and I forebore in the best interests of the people, but there comes a time when repeated violations of constitutional procedure cannot be longer countenanced. The failure to consult the members of the Lieutenant-Governor in Council before issuing a press statement on his negotiations at Ottawa has strained my patience to the breaking point.

**Public Disapproval Of Policy**

"I quote this statement," the Premier said, "because it is so indicative of many other statements of a similar character that Mr. Anscomb has made when he seems to have desired to express his disapproval of government policy while still at the same time remaining within the

government. I, fear, is not familiar with his obligations as a minister of the Crown under our form of constitutional government, and in this connection I would refer to F. A. Ogg, who, in his "English Government and Politics," page 151, says:



"The new deaths boosted the toll of two storms which have flooded southern California twice in four days to at least nine."

So grave was the new flood peril that all public schools in Los Angeles and most of its surrounding suburban cities were ordered closed.

Heavy rains that started shortly before noon Thursday while the area was digging out from one damaging downpour drenched Los Angeles with 4.17 inches of rain by early today. Then the sun peeked through ominous clouds unexpectedly at 8 a.m. P.S.T., and the weatherman said the "current sneak storm" should subside by mid-day.

He warned that yet another storm was sweeping down the coast from Alaska and was expected to hit waterlogged Los Angeles by Saturday or Sunday.

Both th' premier an' th' finance minister are fired—Boss with indignation, Herb with alacrity.



PREMIER JOHNSON  
... Ousts Tory Chief



HERBERT ANSCOMB  
... Into Opposition

## Break May Bring Early Election

British Columbia's Coalition government of Liberals and Conservatives broke apart this morning in a series of fast-moving developments.

A general election within a short time, with Liberals and Conservatives appealing as separate parties, was an immediate prospect.

The dramatic smash in Coalition—brewing for some time—came when Premier Johnson demanded the resignation of Finance Minister Herbert Anscomb, the Tory leader, for a "flagrant and arrogant disregard of the procedure of constitutional government."

He asserted Anscomb had released results of new tax agreement dealings with Ottawa before consulting the rest of the cabinet.

The Conservative leader and his three cabinet colleagues, Works Minister E. C. Carson, Mines Minister MacDonald and Trade Minister Leslie H. Eyres resigned two hours later.

After the Premier's dramatic demand, Anscomb and his three Conservative colleagues went into conference and two hours later the Coalition cabinet had split.

Premier Johnson's reaction to the Conservative decision was awaited this afternoon.

It is expected he will form a straight Liberal government by naming four Liberals to the cabinet posts vacated by the Conservatives.

The Legislature has been called for February 19. There is not time to hold an election before then, so it is expected he will meet the House as a Liberal government, hold a short session to vote supply to carry on the country, then hold the election.

Present standing of the parties is Liberal 23, Conservatives 11, C.C.F. 8, Coalitionists 3, Independents 1, Labor 1, Social Credit 1. This gives Johnson a bare majority if the three Coalitionists support him.

## Dropped Like Bombshell

Announcement from the Pre-

mer's office that he had "fired" the finance minister dropped like a bombshell on the Legislative Buildings, although it had been rumored for several days he was unhappy with the hurried announcement by Anscomb on the tax agreement.

In a 1,200 word statement, the Premier charged Anscomb with a "long series of political reprehensible actions" and with continually "baiting" Liberal colleagues in the cabinet over the last three years.

The Premier said Anscomb's last action had "strained my patience to the breaking point."

He asserted that the finance minister "I fear, is not familiar with his obligations as a minister of the Crown under our form of constitutional government."

He has continually made statements, he said, in which he seemed to have desired to express his disapproval of government policy while still remaining within the government.

The Premier made particular reference to Anscomb's budget speech last year when, at the last moment, he inserted a reference on hospital insurance which was an indirect criticism of Health and Welfare Minister A. D. Turnbull who directs the plan.

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(Full text of the Premier's statement appears on this page.)

The Premier's announcement to the cabinet was reported to have created a dramatic scene, although there had been rumors at the Legislative Buildings he was unhappy with the finance minister's action.

All members of the cabinet who are in the province had been advised to be present. The only absentee was Attorney-General Gordon Wismer. He is in London.

## B.C. Wine Ban Said Violation

VANCOUVER, Jan. 18 (CP)—James Sinclair, Liberal member of Parliament, said here British Columbia's ban on United States wines morally violates an international trade agreement.

The parliamentary assistant to the minister of finance and M.P. for Coast Capilano was referring to the general agreement of tariffs and trade signed by Canada and 33 other nations over the last five years.

The B.C. Liquor Control Board bans the sale of American wines in the province.

## U.S. Agrees To Sell Steel

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18 (UP)—The United States has agreed to sell 1,000,000 long tons of steel to Britain during 1952, the White House announced today.

In return, the United Kingdom agreed to sell 55,100,000 pounds of aluminum and 20,000 long tons of tin to the United States.

The aluminum would come from Canada, the tin from Malaya.

The agreement resulted from conferences between British Prime Minister Winston Churchill and President Truman.

**Marathon Lowman**  
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# ON THE TIMES

By ART STOTT

I HAVEN'T BEEN to a psychiatrist yet, but I find my day-dream life is falling into a definite pattern. Me and Walter Mitty, we're stylized.

One of my imaginative routines places me in the midst of a crisis. I move in quietly, solve the problem, bow modestly and retire.

Maybe my condition isn't so uncommon. Probably everybody hankers to be the man of the hour at some time or other—and it happens so often in the movies.

Once in a long time, it happens in life, too. Out at our community group meeting the other night, the membership was going through its routine business and clearing the decks for the guest speaker who should have started his address at 8:45.

Probably nobody noticed it, but one of the members wasn't happy. He was walking up and down the corridor outside the meeting room gnawing his fingernails down to the first knuckle joint. Inside, the crowd was waiting to hear a distinguished speaker talk on a popular subject. Outside, the corridor-pacer had just learned that the distinguished speaker wasn't coming, had forgotten the engagement, and the corridor-pacer was responsible for the program.

## It Had Happened Before

The guy in the corridor knew things like that had happened before. He remembered an important political meeting in Victoria to which the candidate had rushed to make an impressive appeal to party stalwarts.

He pictured the scene all over again—the crowded hall, the breathless candidate composing himself for the oration. He remembered the confident gesture with which the candidate had reached into his breast pocket for his notes. He recalled the queer, sickly expression that appeared on the man's face as he scanned a few slips of paper, and his strangled explanation to the chairman, "I've picked up the laundry list instead of my speech."

The corridor-pacer's mind flashed back to the story of a B.C. Historical Society meeting, dignified and correct. He pictured the formal introduction of the guest speaker, punctilious and elaborate. He saw the speaker rise, his smile dying grimly as he patted pocket after pocket without producing a manuscript. He heard again the explanation: "I've left my address on the piano at home" and the startled echo from the chairman as he turned to the meeting with the uncomprehending and amazed statement: "He's left his address on the piano at home."

The guy in the corridor wondered why those incidents had seemed so hilariously funny at the time. He wondered how he'd ever worked himself into an even comparable position. And he thought, a bit ruefully, that the program chairman on each of those two occasions had at least produced a body if not a speech.

## Hero Or Heel?

He began to wonder what Walter Mitty would do, confronted by a crisis like his. Undecided whether he should try to give a speech himself or just give himself up like a criminal, he glanced into the meeting room.

There, in the audience, quietly waiting for the address of the evening, sat Dr. Clifford Carl of the Museum—Cliff Carl who gives grand talks to dozens of organizations every year; Cliff Carl, who always has a speech on tap, and a good one at that.

Now the guy in the corridor does his fair share of Mitty-ing—he can meet any crisis he creates in his day-dreams. It's only when they move out of the day-dreams and become real that he worries. Looking at Cliff in the meeting, the guy in the corridor saw the glimmerings of a solution to his problem. He explained it to Cliff and Cliff saw it, too.

With hardly any hitch at all our community group finished up its meeting with an excellent address by a distinguished speaker—a man called Carl.

Which goes to show that you can walk fearlessly up to all sorts of crises, like Walter Mitty, and beat them, provided you have somebody like Cliff Carl beside you.

## 2 Killed, 7 Wounded In Army's 91st Korean Casualty Listing

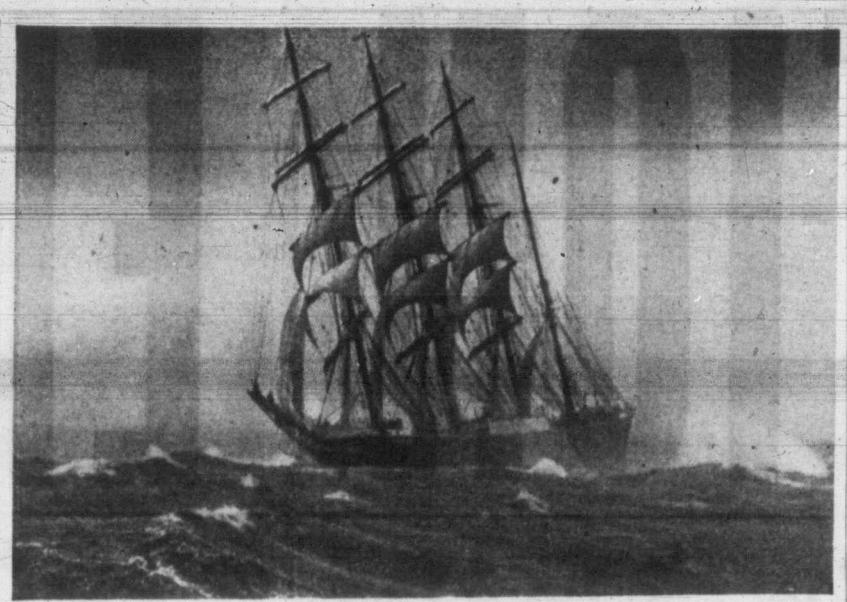
OTTAWA, Jan. 18 (CP)—The army today issued its 91st casualty list of the Korean War, reporting two men killed in action, seven wounded, and one injured in action. The last previous list was issued two days ago.

This brought to 685 the number of casualties so far suffered by Canadian troops in Korean action, including 129 dead, 492 wounded, 59 injured, four missing, and one prisoner.

The list:

**KILLED IN ACTION**  
McIntyre, Earl Alva, Pte.; 1st Battalion, P.P.C.L.L.; Windsor, Ont.

Thompson, William Oliver, Pte.; 1st Battalion, P.P.C.L.L.; Chilliwack, B.C.



Still Riding Out Gales

Old salts on Victoria's waterfront have many a nostalgic memory of the last of the four-masted barques, the German windjammer Pamir, which rode out yet another gale in the North Sea yesterday.

## Pamir Rides Out Dangerous Gale

DEL, Eng., Jan. 18 (AP)—The four-masted German bark Pamir, one of the last of the big sea-going windjammers, today rode out a North Sea gale which had sent lifeboats scudding to her rescue.

The four-masted vessel with 45 sea cadets—40 Germans, four Britons and one Italian—and 46 crew members aboard had radioed an urgent call for help after heavy seas pounded off one of her anchors.

Later she messaged the weather had moderated and she was able to resume her voyage without help.

Lifeboats from two English Channel ports battled through a blizzard to the scene 20 miles off shore. The 5,566-ton British steamer Empire Paxton had stood by to help if needed.

The lifeboats began their rugged trip after Capt. Paul Grief radioed he thought the young cadets should be taken off his buffeted ship at once. With rescuers standing by, he decided to keep everyone aboard and finally was able to go on his way.

The picturesquely 2,769-ton sailing ship, built at Hamburg in 1905, left Hamburg for Rio De Janeiro on Jan. 10 with a cargo of 4,000 tons of cement. The boys aboard her are training for the merchant marine.

### Notice of Firing Practice

Anti-aircraft firing practice will be conducted from the vicinity of ALBERT HEAD as follows:

22 JAN. 1300 hours to 1600 hours  
23 JAN. 1000 hours to 1200 hours  
24 JAN. 1300 hours to 1500 hours  
25 JAN. 1300 hours to 1500 hours  
26 JAN. 0800 hours to 1200 hours

Practice will be conducted seawards in an arc bounded by PACIFIC COAST and BURTON'S LEDGE and the danger area will extend for eleven (11) miles.

By order of COMMANDER ESQUIMALT GARRISON.

## Athabaskan Takes Part In Shore Fire

SEOUL, Korea, Jan. 18 (IAP)—Jet planes fought over northwest Korea today for the fourth successive day.

United States Sabre jets screening Thunderjet strikes against Red rail lines and supplies fought briefly with elements of a formation of 120 Communist jets.

One flight of four Mig-15s broke through the screening Sabres and made a firing pass at the Thunderjets, then headed for home. No damage was reported.

The air force reported three Migs downed and seven damaged in the previous three days' fights. Allied losses are reported only

weekly.

Action along the frozen 145-mile ground front followed the quiet pattern of the last two months.

The only fighting Friday morning reported by the U.S. Eighth Army was along the eastern front. An Allied patrol fought with entrenched Communists west of Heartbreak Ridge for an hour and a half before withdrawing.

At the extreme eastern end of the line three small Red probes were beaten back south of Kosong.

More than 180 miles north of the 38th Parallel the U.S. destroyers Doyle and Porterfield and the Canadian destroyer Athabaskan touched off big fires near Songjin. The Athabaskan moved so close inshore sailors on her decks raked a building with rifles and machine-guns.

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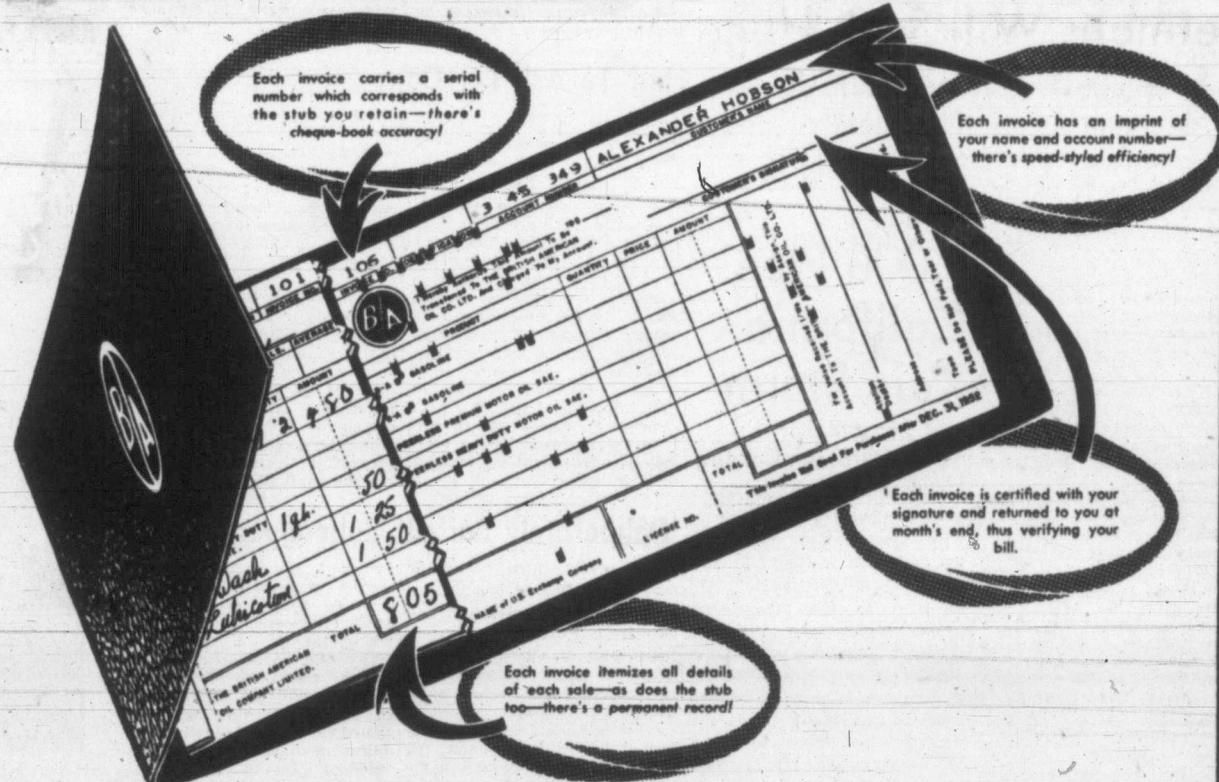
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## Peace And Blackmail

RUSSIA'S LATEST COMBINATION OF peace and blackmail now appears. In Europe it proposes a conference to re-establish trade between east and west—a gesture of peace. In Asia it threatens to invade Indo-China by the usual method of proxy—a gesture of blackmail.

Whether a push into southeast Asia would be halted if the free world agreed to negotiate on trade is not clear. Both projects, though contradictory, may be set in train at once to test the West's reaction and then the one most likely to succeed will be followed. This is a favorite Russian method, the search for a weak spot.

Either way great difficulties will confront the free world.

If Europe decides to reopen the old trade channels with Russia the economic pressures will be relieved. The greatest single factor strangling the European economy is the refusal of Russia to sell its raw materials in exchange for the western nations' manufactures. But if they are to depend on trade with Russia they will be at the peril of any change in Russian policy, their heads will be in an economic noose and they will be encouraged to relax their rearmament while Russia seems friendly.

If Russia's political intentions could be trusted its policy of reopening trade would be welcomed as the most hopeful development of recent times. But those intentions are not trusted and the American government sees in the new trade policy only a trap to capture and destroy the North Atlantic defense system.

The threatened communist drive into Indo-China is a still more serious threat.

In Korea, the United States, supported

by the United Nations, has been able so far to achieve only a stalemate on the original boundary. There is no assurance that the United Nations would agree to undertake a similar campaign in Indo-China or that the United States would agree to lead it. Yet in some ways Indo-China is far more important to the free world than Korea. All of Korea could be lost without the loss of any valuable economic resources. If Indo-China were lost communism would be on the edge of the free world's main supplies of tin and natural rubber. Their loss, in turn, would be a disaster of first magnitude and if Russia could acquire them without a world war it would achieve one of its major triumphs.

Yet it is doubtful that the United States, the only power strong enough to conduct it, is ready for another Korea, and another Korea, if undertaken, would divert the energies of the west from Europe, as Russia no doubt hopes.

There remains the alternative of air attack on China if it signs a truce in Korea and then turns its arms southward. But attack on China, as long urged by General MacArthur, could lead to the great Asiatic war which the Truman government so far has managed to avoid and which its allies dread.

The spring should show the direction of the next Russian move which may not yet be decided in the Kremlin. The only thing we can be sure of is that a move of some sort will come this year either by gestures of peace or another military push, short of general war. One way or another it will be a difficult year for the west, especially when their election campaign distracts the American people from the real target.

## Spotlight On Butt

TODAY THE BUTTLE LAKE QUESTION again came into public view, revealed in the light of an appeal against the decision of the provincial water commissioner granting the B.C. Power Commission's application to use the jewel of Strathcona Park for hydroelectric water storage purposes.

This is but one more appearance of the issue which drew public attention when the power commission made its application and which will again be up for review in the Legislature, on the assurance of Premier Johnson.

The appeal is a legal step in a continuing process. It has certain overtones of unconscious Gilbert-and-Sullivanism in the role which Lands and Forests Minister E. T. Kenney must play in it. That role, in which he becomes several persons, has not been sought by the minister. Rather has it been thrust upon him by technicalities of the appeal.

There is little likelihood that the appeal will put a formal end to the Butt controversy. Yet a very material service may be performed by it.

When E. H. Tredcroft, water commissioner, delivered his decision, the pertinent part of his public statement said that the power commission had shown good and sufficient reasons for the storage of water in Butt Lake and that the proposed storage was in the public interest.

A much fuller explanation is required

They deserve answers. Butt Lake, as a scenic treasure of Strathcona Park, belongs to the public. Conservationists have argued that it will be destroyed scenically and recreationally by damming.

It is not argued that Vancouver Island does not need power. Present and foreseeable demands indicate it requires all the hydro-electric development it can get.

The question, in simple terms is: Is the use of Butt Lake rather than Upper Campbell unavoidable economically or physically? If the answer depends entirely on costs, then definite and unquestionable estimates, backed by findings of competent surveys, should disclose those costs.

No doubts should be left in the public mind on that score. If the present appeal removes grounds for doubt, it will have accomplished an invaluable purpose.

## It Is Not Found Money

ALTHOUGH RISING COSTS MAY have swallowed the benefits of the new federal grant to the University of British Columbia, the significance of Parliament's decision making funds available to such institutions will not be lost on educationists.

How much they were needed is indicated by the fact that, as far as U.B.C. is concerned, sums equivalent to them had already been committed before the grants were made.

There are sound arguments to support federal contributions toward the cost of university education. In the first instance, graduates remaining in Canada—any part of it—should be a national asset as the result of their training. A competent medical man from McGill, for instance, may be the product of a Montreal university, but when he practices in British Columbia, his talents, developed elsewhere, are of immediate value to British Columbians.

In the fields of research, the work of university-trained scientists is at least national in its scope. If Canada is to benefit from the products of the universities, it is reasonable to expect Canada to pay part of the costs.

It would be a mistake, however, to consider the federal grants as found money. They still come from the same pocket, as that which provided funds

heretofore. The federal government can spend only what it collects from the people of Canada. British Columbians are no further ahead if they are taxed an extra dollar by Ottawa to provide an extra dollar through a federal grant to their university.

On the other hand, the rich provinces obviously must provide more proportionately than the poorer ones. If the federal grants are to be distributed equitably, then it is natural to assume that the more wealthy provinces will contribute more to the general pot than they will take out of it for universities. British Columbia is one of the richer provinces.

With due recognition of the special claims universities have for federal consideration, that is a fundamental of educational finance which cannot be ignored.

Specific assurances have been given that the grants do not preclude Ottawa's entry into the educational realm, other than along financial avenues. The provinces retain their exclusive jurisdiction in this field.

By the same token the provinces do not escape their financial responsibilities toward universities. The grants from Ottawa are supplements. No advantages would accrue to the universities were the provinces to reduce their own payments proportionately.

## Why Can't The Public Be Told?

WHEN JOHN SHERSTIBITOFF, so-called "official bomber" for the Sons of Freedom, was tried in Nelson and convicted on six counts of arson, the nature of his crimes was considered serious enough to merit a 14 years sentence. Last week the public of British Columbia was informed that John Sherstibitoff would be released from prison and exiled from the province after serving 18 months of that term.

Only one of the qualifications of his release has been made public. He must stay outside British Columbia. What the other terms may be is known to a very few men.

There may be excellent reasons for the early release of Sherstibitoff. They may justify the shortness of his term in prison has been contracted. It may be assumed that unusual action has been taken to meet an unusual situation. It may be argued, too, that his release and exile have been authorized as a move in the interests of the country.

Unfortunately, however, no explana-

tions have been given to the public. The layman can only note that the so-called "official bomber" of the Sons of Freedom has been treated in a manner quite uncommon among ordinary prisoners. The layman naturally wonders why.

That query does not reflect any lack of public confidence in the consultative committee on Doukhobor problems, which is presumed to have approved the course that has been taken. But failure to provide an explanation may raise doubts over the confidence that committee and others connected with the release of the prisoner have in the public.

Surely an explanation is necessary. British Columbians are tired of the Doukhobor trouble that has plagued them for years. They hope the special committee appointed to study the question and find a remedy for the problem will be successful. But if they are kept in the dark, inevitably they will revive the cynical chant heard a few years ago: "No wonder they're called Sons of Freedom."

## LOOSE ENDS

### Concerning Wives

By BRUCE HUTCHISON

UP TO NOW, in my ignorance I had supposed that a wife was a woman. After reading a study of this subject in "Life," I perceive that a wife is something else entirely. If she is to amount to anything at all she must be an executive, a salesman, a sycophant, a conspirator, a politician and a professional liar. That, we are told, is the only kind of wife who can help her husband to get along. Without this equipment in the home we can hope to succeed in business.

IT USED TO be sufficient for an executive to own a house, an automobile, an insurance policy and a brain. Today, it seems, he also needs a horror in the house.

The researchers of "Life" have stumbled upon one of the nastiest facts of American business yet revealed. American business, not content with building the highest living standard ever known, has reached out to engulf the American wife and make her a cog in the great machine. The well-managed corporation no longer hires an executive because he knows his job. Unless he has the right wife he is passed by in favor of some other fellow who has.

THAT makes marriage a pretty important affair. In entering it the young man risks not merely a lifetime of domestic unhappiness but, infinitely worse, the possibility of never being an executive and who wants to live at all if he is not an executive?

Any father who looks at his son in the cradle and can detect no executive instincts in the infantile features will mercifully drown the baby forthwith. But even if the child passes the test still he cannot be sure of success for he may marry a non-executive wife and spoil everything.

Hence the great corporations worry continually about the women their junior executives are marrying. The president of a ball-bearing plant, who is looking for a promising vice-president does not ask if the candidate can make good ball-bearings. He asks whether the man's wife can make a good martini. The question is not whether the man is honest and able but whether the wife, as "Life" puts it, is "a highly adaptable mix," matrimony thus being elevated to the status of soda water and ginger ale.

ALL THIS, however, is only the beginning of the executive process. A wife must be not merely a good hostess who will not humiliate the corporation by eating with her knife and getting tight at office parties; she must have a proper sense of her position in the hierarchy. She must be deferential to the wife in the salary bracket above her and just sufficiently condescending to the one below. She must be able to move upward into the next bracket, leave all her old friends and associates behind without regret, and be ready to continue this indefinitely until her husband is president of the firm, at which point they will both be ready to die and glad of it.

BESIDE the pretensions, manipulations and throat-cuttings of the executive profession, as explained by "Life," the familiar struggles of politics are the crude efforts of amateurs. And while American business men are never tired of blaming politicians for building a servile, government-controlled and regimented society it is clear that the executives are busily converting the America into a high-class ant hill.

THE ULTIMATE end of this insect process is reached when the ruling ants are chosen not for their abilities but for the behavior of their mates. One of these days, no doubt, a business genius will appear and do the obvious thing by handing the corporation over to the wives, who obviously are much abler, and relegating the husbands to the kitchen where they belong.

ODDLY enough, the men who made American business the most efficient in the world could never qualify for the new standards. No one seems to have asked about Henry Ford's wife when he was quietly revolutionizing the whole system. Nobody thought to check up on Mrs. Rockefeller. Mrs. Edison was left alone while her husband changed the life of the world.

But then, such men were never true executives. By all the modern tests they were complete failures. They refused to conform to the conventions, they were never quite sure what income bracket they belonged to, they were an inferior sort of ant altogether, and if any inspector from head office came snooping around their homes to inspect their wives they would hit him on the nose as any decent man should.

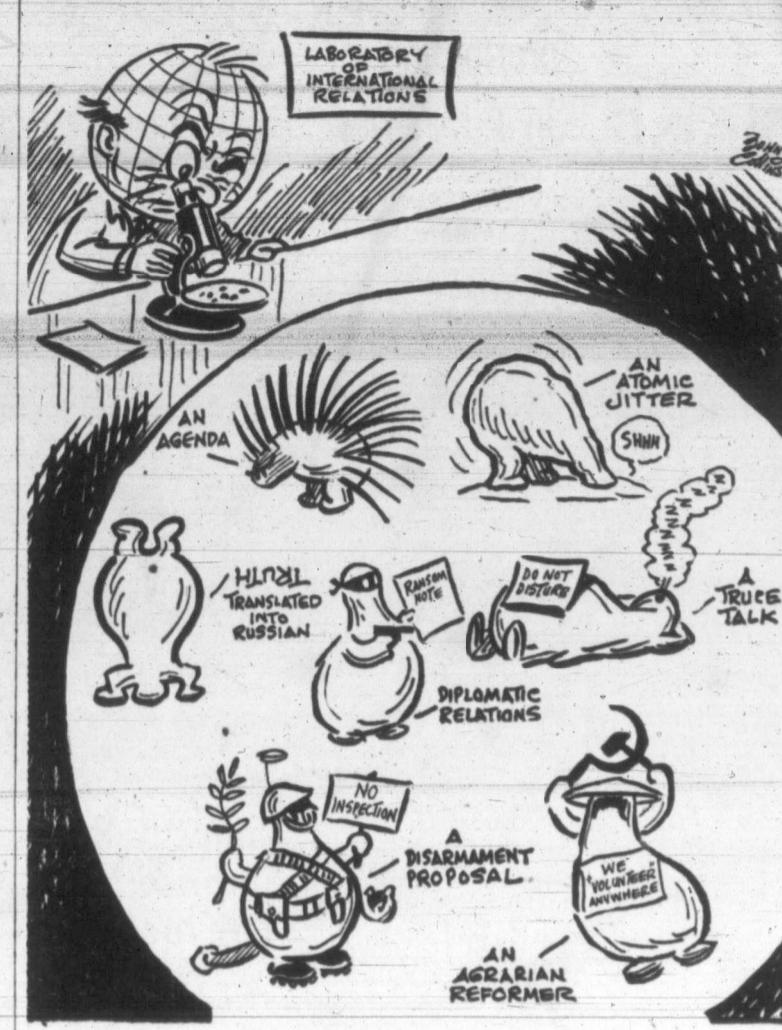
IT WILL be interesting, therefore, to see whether American business fares any better under the new system of machine-made, trade-marked, hundred-per-cent pure executives than under the old-fashioned anarchists who made the machines in the first place. No doubt business, as business, will do very well but what will happen to the society?

The best thing about American society up to now has been its refusal to stratify as older societies have done. Its redeeming virtue, among all its vices, has been its freedom from fixed castes. Now it appears to be erecting its first aristocracy, called the executives, with many gradations extending all the way to the kitchen sink.

THE FRIENDS of American democracy need not imagine that, under a local disguise, it is imitating communism by establishing an hereditary ruling and privileged class. In Russia, I suppose, a commissar is a formidable figure since he has the machine gun squad behind him but no one takes an American executive seriously even when he has a wife behind him.

IT is not the one who knows America believes in the existence of an executive. After long study I am convinced that there is no such animal. There are just some unfortunate fellows running businesses in which the hired hands are having all the fun and marrying any woman they like, and repeatedly.

## Cold War Germs



## Three Answers To Mr. Ash

A MUSINGLY, the honorable M.L.A. for Saanich in a letter to the Times attacking the defenders of Buttle Lake, Strathcona Park, wrote: "The time has come when those in responsible positions should acquaint the public with the facts"—the writer cordially agrees.

The Comptroller of Water Rights, whose decision Mr. Ash supports has declined to give any clear "facts" as to why he granted the application of the B.C. Power Commission to utilize Buttle Lake.

Furthermore, the B.C. Power Commission, which is a public body maintained by the public purse, refused to disclose their rate structure at the public inquiry held last August—a very important "fact" to every taxpayer.

If the case of the Power Commission is sound, and Mr. Ash claims it is, why keep these essential "facts" secret?

Generously, the honorable M.L.A. proceeded in his letter to give some "facts" which would read very favorably for the Power Commission if they were correct. Mr. Ash contends that the cost of damming Buttle Lake would be approximately \$2,241,220. But he neglects to disclose in this calculation that no value of compensation is included for Crown Land and the great quantity of valuable timber which would be logged.

Alternatively, the M.L.A. states, the cost of construction at Upper Campbell Lake would be around \$5,803,465, an impressive sum indeed until it is broken down. Mr. Ash failed to show in his letter that of this amount the sum of \$2,667,000 is proposed to be paid in the form of compensation. Therefore, if fairly presented the respective costs of construction do not amount to anywhere near a difference of \$3,500,000, as Mr. Ash declares.

QUESTIONS  
Mr. Ash, on behalf of his constituents, asks three questions and I take the liberty of answering them:  
Q. Is this project to be the greatest good for the greatest number?

A. No. Individually this project will benefit the people of British Columbia very little. If the damming of Buttle Lake takes place it will in law, by precedent, weaken our rights in our public parks, and may lead to further encroachments of a similar nature.

Q. Are we prepared to develop industry on this island and encourage more people to settle here?

A. Permit private enterprise to develop industry on this island by all sensible means, with due respect to established rights and the intent and spirit of the original Strathcona Park Act. Encourage the business interests who require the proposed dam to construct it at their own expense and risk, which they are well able to do, at Upper Campbell Lake.

Q. Shall we turn back the clock and stand still to find in later years we have a power shortage?

A. Unless we turn back the clock sometimes and consider the laws which have been passed for the people's good, chaos would soon result. However, turn toward the clock if you wish. Mr. Ash and look towards the day when atomic power will supply nearly all our electrical needs. Electricity has already been successfully generated by this method in the U.S.A. and Great Britain.

Our province is vast enough for industry to find its place, as it is rapidly doing. But to allow the craze for industrialization to go to our heads and make us oblivious to the heritage we must protect, would be folly.

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## Fraternal Association

Winnipeg Free Press  
Mr. Churchill has often spoken of the "fraternal association" of Britain and the United States as the world's supreme hope of peace. His mission to Washington, which has been rewarded by an answering spirit of cooperation by the leaders of the United States government, has succeeded in reaffirming that policy in practical and constructive terms.

## Ups And Downs

By BRIAN TOBIN

OF ALL the awkward questions," said the Elevator Man, "you can be asked, perhaps the awkwardest at times is 'What do you do?'" And especially if they tack on the phrase, "that's of any use to the world?" That can be a tough one to answer.

All the activities you engage in—your job, your hobbies, your sports and so on—seem to become pretty selfish when you gauge them on what they do for your fellowman. You begin to think that you're living only for yourself, and maybe

Tobin you're not far wrong. That's a good starting point, anyway. From then on you can begin to do something about it. Of course, the average man or woman doesn't rate too badly, when all's said and done. A major part of the world's work is done for somebody else. With a family to support, altruism is sort of forced on you. Lower main!

"I see," said the Elevator Man, "where a questionnaire was sent to state employees in Connecticut asking them what they do. The main point was how much time each spent at his various duties throughout the day. One of the elevator men thought it over for a long time. There didn't seem to be much variety in his job, but he didn't want it to look too simple. So finally, according to the news item, he described it: 'Up, 50 per cent. Down, 50 per cent.' Mezzanine!"

"It isn't," said the Elevator Man, "everybody who can be so clear-cut about his life's effort. Some of us aren't sure whether we're going up or down, ahead or sideways. The trouble is, you can have what seems like a pretty adequate job, one that keeps you busy and occupied. But when you come to put it down on paper, making a simple list in black and white of what you do, it begins to look pretty skimpy. Sort the mail, file records, count the cash, sweep out the shop—they take only a second to write down or read. Then the fellas say, 'What do you do next?' and you begin to feel crowded. It's a happy man who can just reply, 'Then I go back up.'"

## This Is It

Christian Science Monitor

## Theft And Driving Charges Bring Nine To Saanich Court

Nine persons faced Magistrate Henry C. Hall on driving and theft charges in Saanich police court Thursday afternoon.

Bail of \$100 was set for Robert Takvor, 75 Ontario, when he was charged with theft of farm equipment valued at less than \$25. He pleaded not guilty and was remanded to next Thursday.

Charged with the same offense, Robert J. Deacon, 3101 Tullum, pleaded guilty. He was remanded to today to secure character witnesses.

Raymond J. Slater, 4528 East Saanich, got into trouble while driving in an endeavour to avoid a dog running across the road. He appeared on a careless driving charge. Magistrate Hall did not think accused's actions constituted careless driving and dismissed the charge.

Slater was also charged with obtaining credit by means of a worthless cheque. This was also dismissed.

A fine of \$50 and a three-month license suspension was imposed against Allan Le Sann, 319 Burnside, for dangerous driving.

Robert B. Robertson, 1055 Colville, went to sleep at the wheel of his moving car. He was fined \$40 for careless driving. His license was suspended.

A \$35 fine was imposed against Kenneth A. Knightly, 1245 Burnside, for careless driving. Cecilia Pekly, East Saanich Indian Reserve, was fined \$30 for driving a car without being the holder of a driver's license.

Robert McCall, 282 Kerwood, was remanded to Jan. 24 for a probation officer's report after he pleaded guilty to breaking into the Craigflower Service Station Dec. 30.

A traffic charge against H. Newman was dismissed.

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## WEATHER SYNOPSIS

### VICTORIA'S SUNSHINE RECORD TO DATE, 1952

18.6 HOURS

**SYNOPSIS:** Rain is falling over southern Vancouver Island and the lower mainland of British Columbia this morning as another Pacific disturbance moves southeastward over these areas. Scattered snow flurries will accompany this disturbance as it moves inland over the southern Interior.

A fresh outbreak of Polar air has moved south into the Prince George region, where temperatures dropped sharply in the teeth of strong northerly winds.

**REGIONAL FORECASTS**

**VALID UNTIL MIDNIGHT SATURDAY**

**VICTORIA:** A few clouds tonight and Saturday. Little change in temperature. Wind decreasing to light, low tonight and high Saturday, 32 and 42.

**WEST COAST:** Variable cloudiness on Saturday. Widely scattered showers.

Little change in temperature. Winds variable, 28 to 32 on land. Low tonight and high Saturday at Estevan Point, 32 and 40.

**SAKAMON:** A few clouds overnight. Variable clouds Saturday with showers over the mountains. Little change in temperature. Wind decreasing to light, low tonight and high Saturday at Nakatomo, 30 and 40.

**REGINA:** Variable clouds Saturday with showers. Little change in temperature. Wind decreasing to light, low tonight and high Saturday at Vancouver Airport, 30 and 40.

**TEMPERATURES**

	Min.	Max.	Precip.
St. John's	21	28	.14
Halifax	21	28	.02
Montreal	21	35	.02
Toronto	19	35	.02
Winnipeg	15	46	.01
Regina	4	4	—
Lethbridge	27	31	—
Edmonton	14	27	—
Calgary	14	27	—
Vancouver	36	39	.06
Victoria	22	37	—
Prince Rupert	30	36	.73
Victoria	24	28	.13
Victoria	10	19	.19
Seattle	30	38	—
Oakland	22	34	—
Chicago	28	34	—
San Francisco	39	48	—
New York	33	46	.05
Whitehorse	24	5	.04
Ottawa	21	25	.03
New Westminster	30	39	.16

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**Police Union Men  
Will Serve Again**

Members of the Victoria City Police Federal union, at their annual meeting this week, returned 1951 officers for another year. Joseph Barlow was re-elected president and Edward Hamer as vice-president. Norman Galbraith was retained as secretary and Brian Ferguson as recording secretary.

Nap Bouchard and Richard Ward were named to work with other officers as the bargaining committee.



HUGH R. STEPHEN

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Town Planning Commission of Victoria re-elected Cuthbert Holmes, president, and Hugh Stephen vice-president at a recent meeting.



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**Mixed Re-Action In U.K.  
Press Greets Churchill**

LONDON, Jan. 18 (AP)—Most London morning newspapers today commended Winston Churchill's address to the United States Congress, but Lord Beaverbrook's "Empire-first-and-forever" Daily Express said the Prime Minister should not have asked other nations to station troops in the Suez Canal zone.

That, said the Express, might mean "intolerable" interference in Britain's conduct of operations in the zone.

"Imaginative suggestion" was the description given by the Conservative Daily Telegraph to Churchill's proposal that the United States, France and Turkey—co-sponsors with Britain of the proposed Middle East pact—send at least token forces to support British troops defying Egypt's order that they leave the canal zone.

"Here, as throughout the Middle East, agreement between

America and Britain is vitally necessary if the whole area is not to slide through chaos into Communism," the paper declared. The pro-Labor Daily Herald accused Churchill, in his "we ask no favors, no dole" statement, of saying one thing at home and the opposite abroad. It predicted he would have some explaining to do in the House of Commons.

Said the Daily Herald:

"Churchill proclaims Britain's postwar achievements in Washington saying 'production is

widening and exports are up by

two-thirds. Recovery while it

has been retarded, has been con-

tinuous." This is the same

Churchill who accused the Labor

government, which has been out

of office less than three months,

of "very largely paralyzing" British

economic revival and who

said that under Labor the British

are becoming "Tired Tims and

Weary Willies." Politicians often

have to eat their words. But

what a banquet of baloney con-

fronts Churchill."

Other British newspaper re-

action was favorable.

**Would Follow U.S. Leadership**

BY JOHN M. HIGHTOWER

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18 (AP)—Prime Minister Churchill, in reshaping British policy in critical areas of the world, appears to be fully prepared to follow United States leadership in the Far East while seeking American support for British leadership in the Middle East.

Two new policy developments stood out in the 77-year-old statesman's address to Congress Thursday and both bore on this interpretation of his aims.

With respect to the Far East, Churchill endorsed U.S. protection of the Chinese Nationalist island of Formosa in spite of the fact that the previous Labor government in Britain recognized the Communist regime in China and Churchill has continued to do so.

His endorsement was in line with word from his talks with Mr. Truman last week to the effect that Churchill does not in-

tend to permit his government's technical relationship with the Chinese Reds administration to interfere with his support of the overall American line of action in the Far East.

While the split between London and Washington over Chinese recognition remains on the books, it has thus been reduced considerably in importance.

For the Middle East, Churchill painted a gloomy picture of Britain's declining power and influence in an area where it once was dominant and made it clear that he would like to be supported by the United States and other countries with Middle Eastern interests.

His proposal apparently took American officials by surprise.

What the response will be re-

mains to be determined.

**France's New Premier  
Youngest In 75 Years**

PARIS, Jan. 18 (UPI)—Radical Socialist Edgar Faure was approved by the National Assembly today and became the youngest French premier in 75 years. The vote was 401 to 101.

The 43-year-old financial Com-

munist, who voted against

him, and the rightwing followers of Gen. Charles De Gaulle, who abstained.

Faure began work immediately to form a government—the 15th in the less than six-year existence of the Fourth Republic. He will have to draw his cabinet from radical Socialists, popular Republi-

cans (M.R.P.) and Independents.

Although the Socialists voted for him in today's Assembly vote they probably will not join his government.

The radical Socialist's govern-

ment is not expected to differ

greatly from that of former

Premier René Pleven's which re-

signed 12 days ago.

Faure told the Assembly

Thursday night that his govern-

ment, if approved, would con-

tinute the war in Indo-China, back

the European army project and

press for extension of the Schu-

man plan for pooling Western

Europe's coal and steel.

**Two New Rotarians**

Two new members were in-

ducted into the Rotary Club

Thursday.

Handed their club buttons by

vice-president Dick Batey were

Lloyd Detwiler, commissioner of

the B.C. Hospital Insurance, and

Jack Todd of J. H. Todd & Sons.

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## Closing Averages

DOW JONES AVERAGES  
30 Industrials 272.10, up .19  
20 Rails 26.13, up 1.01  
15 Utilities 48.83, up .11  
65 Stocks 99.98, up .41  
Volume, 1,740,000.

TORONTO AVERAGES  
Industrials 342.45, up 1.50  
Golds 81.24, up .17  
B. Metals 196.73, up .44  
W. Oils 134.61, up 1.38  
Sales, 3,041,000.

MONTREAL AVERAGES  
Industrials 229.5, off .7  
Utilities 86.6, off .2  
Golds 66.08, up .96  
P. & C. 795.50, off 1.47  
Sales, 615,600.

## Oils Push Up Toronto In Late Rally

TORONTO, Jan. 18 (CP) — Stock market prices held steady to early gains today toward the session's close.

Western oils again dominated trading as a wide list of issues showed large turnovers. A penny gold however — Manitoba and Eastern — showed the heaviest turnover as more than 320,000 shares changed hands. Selected base metals were also in demand while industrial activity continued a slow spread from leading issues. Volume for the session was about 3,100,000 shares.

Anglo-Canadian, Calgary and Edmonton, Connell, Devon-Leduc, Okalta, Calnforth, Royalite, Western Homestead, Model Oil and Jupiter climbed strongly among western oils. Canadian, Atlantic, Consolidated Cordasian, Surry and Security Free dipped.

Refining oils, agricultures and constructions led industrials upward while papers, steels and liquors drew firm support.

## Vancouver Busy

VANCOUVER (noon close) — Active trading, led by oil issues, in today's early session produced some overall gains in the oil group while mines and industrials held steady.

Gains were made by: Admiral Oils, up 2 cents to 48 cents; Quatsino up 2 cents to 60 cents; Calmont up 15 cents to \$2.30; Central Leduc up 5 cents to \$3.10.

Most active was York oils which closed at 53 cents, up 3 cents.

Fractional gains were made by mines to closing but the list was steady as were the industrials.

## Montreal Higher

Montreal, Jan. 18 (CP) — Stock prices continued on their irregularly higher price path towards the close today on the Montreal stock exchange and curb market.

Industrials, beverages, senior oils, steels and carriers were firmer. Senior metals edged upward.

Papers, utilities and banks were off slightly. Main loser was Canadian Celanese, down one point at 46.5.

Mines and western oils continued to climb slightly towards the close. Changes were mostly pennies.

In the mines, Normal and Tache were up pennies under fair trading. The western oils featured Del Rio up 90 cents at \$3.20.

## New York Strong

NEW YORK, Jan. 18 (AP) — Strength from active buying of steels and rails spread through the stock market today and pulled prices up all along the line.

Gains ran between 1 and 2 points at the outside with a few outstanding exceptions. There were scattered losses.

Volume expanded to an estimated 1,700,000 shares, well outside the recent average range.

Railroads started the ball rolling early in the session with fractional gains. Then steels took over and expanded the advance to between 1 and 2 points.

Among Canadian issues, Canadian Pacific, Dome and Distillers were up 1%. Hiram Walker just 1%.

On the curb Yellowknife was up 1%. Lake Shore and Royaite were unchanged.

## London Pauses

LONDON, Jan. 18 (Reuters) — The London stock exchange paused today at the end of a week during which share prices of home stocks had shown sharp fluctuations. The recent heavy falls in industrials attracted profit taking by short-term bears and the few price movements were to higher levels.

British Government funds moved fractionally higher on what was described as minor routine investment business.

Germans were again the bright spot on the foreign bond section. Hopes that a settlement of the debts question will particularly favor the 4% per cent loan listed this issue by some 2% points at 64%. Japanese bonds also made good upward progress.

Oils were quiet and uncertain. Turnover in mining was meagre but prices were selectively firmer.

LONDON, Jan. 18 (AP) — Stock closing B&W & Wilson 56s, Boots Pure Drug 21 1/2, Canadian Pacific Gold Central Mining 11 1/2, Canadian Gold 47 1/2, Courtaulds 42s 8d, Hudson's Bay Co. 176, Imperial Tobacco 88s 7 1/2, Metal Box the Ed. Mexican Eagle 23s 8d, Rand Mines 120, R. G. 100s 10 1/2, Royal Dutch 681 1/4, British 3 1/4 per cent Consols 681 1/4, British 3 1/4 per cent Loans 681 1/4, British 7 1/2, British Fundings 4s 1960-1990 681 1/4.

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Abitibi	com	17%	18%	Cochrane	Plow	18%	18%	Macsey	Harris	12	12 1/2
Do	Do	25%	25%	Com	Alcohol	6	6	McColl	Front	45	45 1/2
Do	Do	17%	17%	Do	Do	17	17	M O Corp	27	27 1/2	
Do	Do	88	88	Do	Do	88	88	Montreal	Corp	15	15
Anglo-Can.	15%	15%	Do	Do	18	18	Moore	Corp	26	26 1/2	
Algoa Steels	91%	91%	Do	Do	17	17	Moore	Corp	26	26 1/2	
Do	116%	117%	Do	Do	117	117	Moore	Corp	26	26 1/2	
Anglo-Dif. Dev.	12%	12%	Do	Do	12	12	Moore	Corp	26	26 1/2	
Anglo-Can.	13%	14	Do	Do	13	13	Moore	Corp	26	26 1/2	
Asbestos Corp	24%	25%	Do	Do	25	25	Moore	Corp	26	26 1/2	
Avondale	14%	14	Do	Do	14	14	Moore	Corp	26	26 1/2	
Brill. Corp.	15%	15	Do	Do	15	15	Moore	Corp	26	26 1/2	
Atlas Steel	23%	23%	Do	Do	23	23	Moore	Corp	26	26 1/2	
Bairstow	17%	17	Do	Do	17	17	Moore	Corp	26	26 1/2	
Brill. Corp.	21%	21	Do	Do	21	21	Moore	Corp	26	26 1/2	
Bron. Corp.	16%	17	Do	Do	17	17	Moore	Corp	26	26 1/2	
Do	Do	17	17	Do	Do	17	17	Moore	Corp	26	26 1/2
Brazil. Tract.	11%	11	Do	Do	11	11	Moore	Corp	26	26 1/2	
B. A. Oil	22%	22	Do	Do	22	22	Moore	Corp	26	26 1/2	
B. A. Oil	4%	4%	Do	Do	4	4	Moore	Corp	26	26 1/2	
Do	4%	4%	Do	Do	4	4	Moore	Corp	26	26 1/2	
Do	88	88	Do	Do	88	88	Moore	Corp	26	26 1/2	
B.C. For. Pz.	7%	7%	Do	Do	7	7	Moore	Corp	26	26 1/2	
B.C. For. Pz.	25%	25%	Do	Do	25	25	Moore	Corp	26	26 1/2	
B.C. For. Pz.	33%	33%	Do	Do	33	33	Moore	Corp	26	26 1/2	
B.C. For. Pz.	35%	35%	Do	Do	35	35	Moore	Corp	26	26 1/2	
B.C. For. Pz.	37%	37%	Do	Do	37	37	Moore	Corp	26	26 1/2	
B.C. For. Pz.	38%	38%	Do	Do	38	38	Moore	Corp	26	26 1/2	
B.C. For. Pz.	39%	39%	Do	Do	39	39	Moore	Corp	26	26 1/2	
B.C. For. Pz.	40%	40%	Do	Do	40	40	Moore	Corp	26	26 1/2	
B.C. For. Pz.	41%	41%	Do	Do	41	41	Moore	Corp	26	26 1/2	
B.C. For. Pz.	42%	42%	Do	Do	42	42	Moore	Corp	26	26 1/2	
B.C. For. Pz.	43%	43%	Do	Do	43	43	Moore	Corp	26	26 1/2	
B.C. For. Pz.	44%	44%	Do	Do	44	44	Moore	Corp	26	26 1/2	
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B.C. For. Pz.	46%	46%	Do	Do	46	46	Moore	Corp	26	26 1/2	
B.C. For. Pz.	47%	47%	Do	Do	47	47	Moore	Corp	26	26 1/2	
B.C. For. Pz.	48%	48%	Do	Do	48	48	Moore	Corp	26	26 1/2	
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B.C. For. Pz.	50%	50%	Do	Do	50	50	Moore	Corp	26	26 1/2	
B.C. For. Pz.	51%	51%	Do	Do	51	51	Moore	Corp	26	26 1/2	
B.C. For. Pz.	52%	52%	Do	Do	52	52	Moore	Corp	26	26 1/2	
B.C. For. Pz.	53%	53%	Do	Do	53	53	Moore	Corp	26	26 1/2	
B.C. For. Pz.	54%	54%	Do	Do	54	54	Moore	Corp	26	26 1/2	
B.C. For. Pz.	55%	55%	Do	Do	55	55	Moore	Corp	26	26 1/2	
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B.C. For. Pz.	57%	57%	Do	Do	57	57	Moore	Corp	26	26 1/2	
B.C. For. Pz.	58%	58%	Do	Do	58	58	Moore	Corp	26	26 1/2	
B.C. For. Pz.	59%	59%	Do	Do	59	59	Moore	Corp	26	26 1/2	
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B.C. For. Pz.	62%	62%	Do	Do	62	62	Moore	Corp	26	26 1/2	
B.C. For. Pz.	63%	63%	Do	Do	63	63	Moore	Corp	26	26 1/2	
B.C. For. Pz.	64%	64%	Do	Do	64	64	Moore	Corp	26	26 1/2	
B.C. For. Pz.	65%	65%	Do	Do	65	65	Moore	Corp	26	26 1/2	
B.C. For. Pz.	66%	66%	Do	Do	66	66	Moore	Corp	26	26 1/2	
B.C. For. Pz.	67%	67%	Do	Do	67	67	Moore	Corp	26	26 1/2	
B.C. For. Pz.	68%	68%	Do	Do	68						





## Saanich Sees Way To Sewer

An alternative Saanich sewer plan that will use city connections and three extra pumps will permit construction of the municipal sewer system within the \$210,000 authorized by by-law, Reeve Joseph W. Casey predicted today.

"I figure the whole thing will go in for the money voted," he said, "I'm sure we will not have to ask for more."

The original sewer plan called for a single connection into the Northwest sewer, and construction of rock tunnels that would permit a huge portion of Saanich, outside the present sewer

### Canada's Plan On N.A.T.O. Army Under Review

OTTAWA, Jan. 18 (CP)—Canada's policy of paying all her own army bills in Germany—frustrated and unfulfilled for months anyway—may be partly altered when the occupation ends, presumably within the next few months.

No decision has yet been made. Officials say none can be until the major powers thrash out with Germany just what costs she will bear as her share of joint western defense once she becomes virtually a sovereign power again.

It is not impossible, however, informed quarters feel, that if arrangements are made for ally Germany to foot certain bills for all non-German N.A.T.O. forces in Germany, Canada would accept those arrangements on her own behalf.

The latest unhappiness over the pitfalls that have befallen the policy, come Thursday. The influential Manchester Guardian published a report from Hanover, headquarters of the 27th Canadian Brigade, interpreting it as a "frank attempt to win friends and influence people" in Germany and said it "may prove an embarrassment" to the British and American occupation forces.

#### BARGAINING LEVER

It might result, the Guardian said, in a German call for Britain and the U.S. to do as Canada is doing.

The trouble is that the Germans have been doing just this, have been using the Canadian policy both as a lever and a bargaining weapon to an extent which has already caused embarrassment and some indignation here.

The Guardian story may lead to an official statement on the Canadian position.

Canada's stand is that her position in Germany and that of the occupying powers is quite different. The 27th Brigade is there as a N.A.T.O. defense force. It has not connection with the occupation of a defeated country, therefore has no moral right to accept occupation costs as Britain, the U.S. and France have been doing for six years and have a right to continue to do until the occupation ends.

#### CREDIT UNION EXPLAINED

"What Is the Credit Union?" was the subject of a talk by Frank Greenway, treasurer of the Victoria Credit Union, at the Lions' Club luncheon meeting in Empress Hotel today.

## FRIGIDAIRE REFRIGERATORS

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### SKATING STAR SENSATION

## Wizardry Of Barbara Captivates New York

NEW YORK, Jan. 18 (BUP)—Barbara Ann Scott, the ash blonde Olympic skating star from Ottawa, thrilled a packed Madison Square Garden here Thursday night with her superb grace and mastery of difficult jumps and spins as the new star of the Hollywood Ice Revue.

Miss Scott, who replaced Sonja Henie at the extravaganza that opened, but the one favored by the reeve eliminates considerable work.

#### TUNNELS COSTLY

Tunnels that would have cost \$900,000 and one big pumping station in the Gorge will be dropped from the plan.

Instead three smaller pumps will be installed, bringing the total required to 10, and connections will be made with the city system at three points.

That right was contained in our Northwest sewer agreement," the reeve said.

Word of the proposed scheme will come as a great relief to Saanich ratepayers who were more than a little concerned when the first issue of sewer bonds sold—like other similar issues across Canada—for only 87.75 per cent of par-value.

### Gloucester To Get Dose Of Limelight

LONDON, Jan. 18 (Reuters)—A shy, middle-aged, country-loving soldier will become Britain's "caretaker king" when the King goes on his health cruise to South Africa this spring.

He is the Duke of Gloucester, 52, brother of the King. Known as the "forgotten" member of the Royal family, he is due for a concentrated dose of the lime-light in the next few months.

Many of the burdens of Royalty will fall upon the soldier-duke and his slim wife when Buckingham Palace is empty.

No member of the immediate Royal family will be left in the palace when the King leaves on a date yet to be fixed. The Queen and Princess Margaret will go with him. Princess Elizabeth and the Duke of Edinburgh will be on a tour of Australia.

The Duke of Gloucester and his sister, the Princess Royal, will be the only members of the family still in England and eligible to serve as councillors of state—the Royal body which takes over the King's duties when he is absent or ill. But to help them, new councillors will be appointed by Parliament.

The Duke is the least known of the King's brothers—but not through any fault of the British public. He likes the simple, homely life.

### Ryerson Fiction Judges Appointed

Two Canadian writers and an editor have been named judges for the Ryerson Fiction Award for 1952, one of Canada's leading literary awards. It was learned today. The prize is \$1,000 in cash.

Judges are Mrs. R. A. Farquharson, Toronto; Dr. Theodore Goodrich Roberts, Digby, N.S., and Dr. Lorne Pierce, editor of the Ryerson Press.

... "a virtuoso" . . . her "Invitation to the Waltz" was truly memorable."

#### STOPS THE SHOW

"She stopped the show Thursday night with her "Star of the North" opening routine and has a hit all over again with the familiar "Invitation to the Waltz," Robert Sylvester of the New York Daily News said.

Von Weher's "Invitation to the Waltz" is a captivating ballet which combined the talents of Miss Scott and her superb partner, Michael Kirby.

Principal performers in the revue included Carol Lynne, Andra McLoughlin, Skippy Baxter, Freddie Trenkler, Jean and Calvin Cook, John Walsh and the Brusilovs.

### Socreds Organize Oak Bay Group; Plan To Campaign

The Special Credit party has moved into Oak Bay.

The first of three or four planned groups has been formed and plans are being made to enter a candidate in the Oak Bay riding in the next provincial election.

C. G. Alexander was elected president.

Others elected were A. W. Williams, first vice-president; O. V. Rogers, second vice-president, and Mrs. Nancy Rogers, secretary-treasurer.

Simultaneously, the new group and the first Victoria group, organized the first women's auxiliaries in the Socred movement here.

#### EARLY PRINCE

Edward II, born in 1284, was the first of the English crown princes to bear the title of Prince of Wales.

### SCOUTS AND CUBS AFIELD

## Galleway Heads Langford Group Committee

W. Gornal has been elected chairman of the Willows Group, and Scoutmasters of the district have elected Bob Webb and Vic Goddard as chairman and vice-chairman, respectively.

The district staff has laid plans for a field day to be held in June.

A special meeting with the Parkdale "A" pack was attended by Akelas from North Quadra, Elk's Own, Tillicum and Marigold.

#### EXPEDITIONS PLANNED

Lions Own Rover Crew will make a "survival" camping trip

over the weekend, and Fairfield Rover Crew will make an expedition to the Leechtown district.

A good attendance was noted at the last meeting of the Scoutmasters' course. It will continue each Monday night for the remainder of the month.

District annual meeting will be held at the Monterey next Wednesday at 6:45, to be attended by group committees and the local council.

Of the earth's entire land surface, only 1/300th, or about 150,000 square miles, are covered by irrigation systems.

## 'Phone Book

### Alphabetical Changes

### Must Be Made

### By January 28

The April, 1952, issue of the Telephone Directory for Victoria and nearby points is about to go to press. All changes for the alphabetical section must be made by

### JANUARY 28

(THE YELLOW PAGES section closed on January 17, and no further changes for this section can be accepted.)

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Terms: Pay \$93 down and \$11 monthly, including carrying charges and sales tax.

BAY Radios, Third Floor

### Used Home Appliances

Carefully selected from a group of recent trade-ins! A real opportunity for you to save dollars!

Deluxe Bendix Washer	\$200
Wash "Blue Monday" right out of your life.	
Automatic "Laundrell" Washer	\$75
Safe for all your household washables.	
36" McClary Gas Range	\$175
In white enamel, with lamp, minute-minder.	
Hotpoint Electric Range	\$195
In white enamel. High speed elements.	
Kelvinator Refrigerator	99.50
Medium size.	
AMC Refrigerator	\$125
Deluxe "Coolerator" Ice Box	49.50

Use Convenient Bay Credit Terms.

BAY Major Appliances, Third Floor.

BAY Men's Shoes, Street Floor

BAY Housewares, Third Floor

BAY Dress Goods, Second Floor

BAY Toiletries, Street Floor

BAY Sportswear, Second Floor

BAY Silverware, Street Floor

BAY Notions, Street Floor

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He'll Wait Behind Bars

Alexander Williams, 25-year-old Newfoundland (farthest from camera, above), is shown on his way to Oakalla to await trial on a charge of murdering a Chinese shipmate, Dong Chew-yin, 20, Monday night or Tuesday morning. Manacled to him and hiding his face, is Raymond B. Todd, Vancouver bank robber, whose appeal here brought him a nine instead of seven-year prison term Thursday. Constable Jack Austin accompanies the men to a T.C.A. plane at Patricia Bay airport on the way to Oakalla. Meanwhile, R.C.M.P. officers seek the body of the Chinese they believe to have been slain. (Times Photo).

## TOPICS OF THE TIMES

Mr. and Mrs. R. Lewis, 645 Wilson, play cribbage almost every night.

Mrs. Lewis has been a consistent loser. And her husband's score has gone up and up on the record. But Thursday night it came down with a run, and Mrs. Lewis' stock was soaring.

She had a 29-er!

Jack of diamonds and three fives in her hand, and the five of diamonds to the cut. Zowie! The perfect cribbage score.

J. Davey was elected president of the Victoria Branch of the War Amps Society of Canada Thursday night.

C. Baker was chosen as vice-president and H. C. Saunders as second vice-president. G. N. Clayton was chosen secretary and E. H. King as treasurer.

Executive committee members: F. R. Wells, A. Palmer, J. Chalmers and O. J. Bell.

Deep-sea craft inbound and outbound through Juan de Fuca Strait Thursday night and early this morning kept Pilotage Authority pilots and launchmen busy.

Eleven ships, carrying flags of eight nations, plowed through, most of them in a driving rain that made it difficult for launchmen to pick up their ships.

Inbound for mainland ports were: Ss. Lombok (Dutch), Wakashima Maru (Japanese), Tullahoma (U.S.A.), Bonneville (Norwegian), Brocklemoor (British), Imperial Edmonton (Canadian), Hawaiian Forester (U.S.A.), Treglison (British) and Tricelor (Norwegian).

Outbound were: Ss. Napo (Peruvian) and Hoeghais (Norway).

Financial Survey Ltd., on behalf of Thomas A. Piddington, today asked the city to change zoning qualifications of 1150 Kings from single family to apartment, to permit conversion of a two-unit dwelling to three.

Hearing of the petition of George Shanks, 4111 Cedar Hill, who is seeking to unseat Roy H. Wootten as Saanich councillor on the grounds that he has not the proper qualifications to hold office, today was set for next Friday by Judge H. H. Shandley.

The parties concerned were scheduled to appear in County Court next Tuesday to set a date for the trial, but by agreement they requested the judge to set the date of the hearing immediately.

ZEBALLOS—Holy Roche, 5, has had proof that a cougar, contrary to fable, will attack a human.

While playing in her garden in this mining town recently, she saw a cougar a few feet away. She screamed, and as her father, Paul Roche, approached, the cougar grabbed her with its forepaws.

Her father frightened it off, took the child to safety, then ran to a neighbor for help with the cougar right behind him.

One-half-hour later it was killed by the seven men who answered Roche's alarm. The animal was full-grown.

## Death Driver's Trial Ordered

### Conflicting Stories Told In Court Before Commitment On Manslaughter

Conflicting statements alleged to have been made by a car driver charged with manslaughter, highlighted a preliminary hearing in city police court today.

Charged is John Frederick Sexton, 24, of 1561 Gladstone, following the death last December 12 of 3½-year-old Victoria Fisher, of 1541 Gladstone, after being struck by Sexton's 1948 sedan car.

He was committed for trial in a higher court at the conclusion of the hearing.

Gordon Poupre, counsel, said he did not wish to call his defense at this time.

Evidence was that Sexton was making a turn from Belmont onto Gladstone when the accident occurred.

#### WITNESS' STORY

Elizabeth H. C. Gowan, 915 Foul Play, told the court that shortly after the accident, she had a talk with Sexton. Accused said that he was teaching his wife to drive at the time, she had found them in good condition.

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William Bridgewood, veteran garage mechanic, told the court that when he examined the car's brakes following the accident he found them in good condition.

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## SHOPPING GUIDE

## Living Unbalanced As Far As Furniture Concerned!

By PENNY SAVER

Contemporary! In the dictionary it says, "Living or existing at the same time. Having the same age."

Boy! That describes the new contemporary furniture down to a "T."

You may think that "dear ol' Pen" has gone off the beaten track when I start babbling about modernistic furniture.

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Gracious, I can't go on for ever without breaking loose once in awhile and telling you about the new arrivals, even if it is in the higher-price range. You still get your money's worth.

You know, when you think about it, it is time we accepted furniture on a par with our new homes and new clothes.

## Surrounded By Traditional Gloom

For some time now we have been blossoming forth in clothes in exciting new colors, but we still surround ourselves with traditional "gloomy" furnishings. Granted, there are the few brave ones who have completed their new homes with furniture of the "same age," as the dictionary puts it.

So far I've only mentioned contemporary furniture in connection with new homes. Don't back away from it if you live in an older home. It can be adapted to spacious older homes as well as the smallest, most modern apartment or bungalow.

The trick is to stack one thing on top of another. Sounds like fun doesn't it? Actually, that is exactly what you can do.

If your room is small, instead of having a separate table and maybe a book case too, you put the book case on one end of the table and save that much space. Another idea would be to put the book case on the wall.

Everything is new in contemporary furniture. The woods are treated differently, the shapes are new and the colors breathing.

I won't spoil your delight by trying to describe the designs. I'll let you see the exhibit which is on now. Marvel at it yourself!

## WHY GROW OLD?

By JOSEPHINE LOWMAN

## Why Not Have Fun As A Grandmother?

Did you ever think of being a grandmother as a hobby? Of course you first have to have children and they must have children before you are made an honest grandmother, but the idea that it might be a fascinating hobby is really intriguing, especially if you love children and you have already had enough of your own.

## St. John's Guild Elects Officers

Annual meeting of Ladies' Guild of St. John's Anglican Church was held recently and Mrs. R. A. Bell was elected president.

Other officers are Mrs. G. C. James, first vice-president; Mrs. J. Stilwell, second; Mrs. W. J. Porter, secretary, and Mrs. G. A. Cooney, treasurer.

On committees are Mesdames R. Harper and E. Booth, tea; Mesdames F. W. Taylor, W. H. Wells and G. H. Piercy, sick visiting; Mesdames S. E. Wilson, E. Stewart and M. P. Biggs, work.

Reports were submitted by the retiring secretary, Mrs. C. L. Mudge and retiring treasurer, Mrs. P. Nowell Johnston. The latter reported showed over \$1,000 was realized during the year.

## Sacred Auxiliary Formed In City

A women's auxiliary to the British Columbia Social Credit League, Victoria Group No. 1, was organized in the home of Mrs. Tex Walkemeyer, 1455 Fort Street, last Wednesday. The following officers were elected and appointed: President, Mrs. M. Wilkins; first vice-president, Mrs. Victoria Chant; second vice-president, Mrs. M. Cousins; ways and means committee, Mrs. Tekla Holm, Mrs. Mary Wood, Mrs. W. Fitzgerald, Mrs. C. Rhinehart; publicity, Mrs. Lydia Arsens.

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## TODAY'S RECIPE

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Cook spinach until just tender in water to cover the bottom of the pan. Drain and chop. Add remaining ingredients and heat. Garnish with hard-cooked egg slices. Serves four.

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## Installation Ceremony

Colfax Rebekah Lodge No. 1, I.O.O.F., held their installation of officers recently with Mrs. M. Silver, district deputy president, as installing officer, and Mrs. M. McKenzie as deputy marshall.

New officers are Mrs. Eleanor Roberts, noble grand; Mrs. V. Wright, vice-grand; Mrs. M. Dinsmore, recording secretary; Mrs. H. Loat, financial secretary, and Mrs. M. Paver, treasurer.

The following brothers acted as escorts: Ellis Reynolds, Frank Taylor, Will Dinsmore, Ernest Collett and Ralph Paulson.

Assisting with installation ceremonies were Mesdames W. McKim, I. Coleman, L. Keister, M. Taylor, N. O'Neill, E. Holyoak, E. Baron and M. Ford, all past noble grands.

Also installed were Mrs. H. Hancock, warden; Mrs. V. Wade, conductor; Mrs. E. Randall, chaplain; Mrs. M. Silver, musician; Mrs. M. McKenzie, R.S.N.G.; Mrs. O. Green, L.S.N.G.; Mrs. S. Bainbridge, R.S.V.G.; Mrs. B. Collett and Mrs. F. Harvey, L.S.V.G.; Mrs. L. Thompson, inside guardian; Mrs. E. Headly, outside guardian and staff captain, and Mrs. B. Bury, flag bearer.

Presentation of past noble grand jewel was made to Mrs. M. Cottingham by Mrs. Silver. She also received a gift from the staff. Mrs. Cottingham presented Mrs. M. Dinsmore, retiring staff captain, with a gift from the staff.

Mrs. Headly and her committee served supper.

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## Prelude To Gay Spring At Eaton's Fashion Show



Jean Matthews, Canadian Gold Medalist and feature skater with Ice Cycles, models a smart white moyenne suit with Strathmore model felt with novel black velvet edging.

Members of the cast of the Ice Cycles of 1952 were among the models in the spring fashion show at Eaton's yesterday afternoon.

Loud applause greeted the suits especially those in grey material. Skirts of two gave an appearance of slimness from the front while ample walking room was allowed by three box pleats at the back of each.

One jacket was buttoned on a slanting line. Accessories with this model included a tiny bright green sailor worn straight on the head and a tightly-rolled umbrella of matching green. Another jacket had a scalloped hemline and cuffed bracelet-length sleeves.

Vivid accents against the grey were mustard gloves and mustard banding on a fine black straw cloche.

Several coats were shown for wear either with or without belts. One outstanding model was in a large brown and white check and had sloping shoulders with wide batwing sleeves. It was worn over a white dress with dark brown accessories.

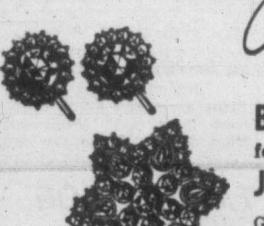
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## Women To Hear Lecture On The Massey Report

Prof. Geoffrey C. Andrew, staff member of the Department of English and executive assistant to the president at University of British Columbia, will address the Women's Canadian Club on Tuesday at 2:45 in the Empress Hotel ballroom. His subject will be "The Massey Report."

Prof. Andrew was born in Bayfield, N.S., attended King's College School in Windsor, N.S., and holds a B.A. degree from Dalhousie University and B.A. and M.A. degrees from Oxford University.

He has lectured at Rothesay Collegiate in New Brunswick and at Upper Canada College, Toronto, where he was senior housemaster for several years. From 1943 to 1947 he was a member of the Wartime Information Board and chief of the information division, Department of External Affairs, at Ottawa.

He is active on executive boards in Vancouver in connection with arts, education, history, political science, the blind, the United Nations and the Community Chest and is vice-chairman of the consultative committee on Doukhobor problems.

He has also held executive positions on various editorial committees across Canada.

## Re-Elect President

Mrs. T. W. Kensington was returned to office as president of St. Mary's Women's Guild at the annual meeting held recently. Others elected were Mrs. R. W. Gibson, honorary president; Mrs. A. E. de Lunn, honorary vice-president; Mrs. D. F. C. McArthur, first vice-president; Mrs. H. E. Hemmons, second vice-president; Mrs. C. C. Raven, recording secretary; Mrs. W. Redford, corresponding secretary, and Mrs. K. Brown, treasurer.

More than \$3,280 was realized during the past year. Most outstanding work accomplished was enlarging and modernizing of the hall kitchen.

## P.T.A. Notes

North Ward—J. Hubner will show films of his trip to South Africa at meeting of North Ward P.T.A. Monday at 8, in school auditorium.

## Valentine's Tea

Ladies' Auxiliary to F.O.E. No. 12, met recently when plans were made for a Valentine tea, Feb. 13. Mrs. May Bennett is convener. Mrs. Eleanor Thomas, past president, will open the affair at 2:30 in down-stairs hall, 757 View Street.

There will be a home-cooking stall, also a special stall for children. Tea will be served and there will be a door prize.

Next meeting will be held Feb. 19 at 9:30.

Municipal Chapter, I.O.D.E., Monday at 7:30, headquarters, St. Saviour's evening branch, Woman's Auxiliary, social meeting, Monday at 8, home of Mrs. E. Davidson, 892 Craigflower Road.

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## CLUB WOMEN'S NEWS

Devotional — At the annual meeting of Women's Missionary Society of Esquimalt United Church, Rev. F. R. G. Dredge conducted the devotional period. President Mrs. F. Hughes reviewed the first chapter of the study book and treasurer reported that the allocation had been met. A social period closed the meeting.

Article — Empire study convener, Mrs. F. Bliss read an article "One Man Looks at Russia" at a recent meeting of Esquimalt Chapter, I.O.D.E. Mrs. G. A. R. Stelck presided. Child and family welfare convener, Mrs. A. Oak-

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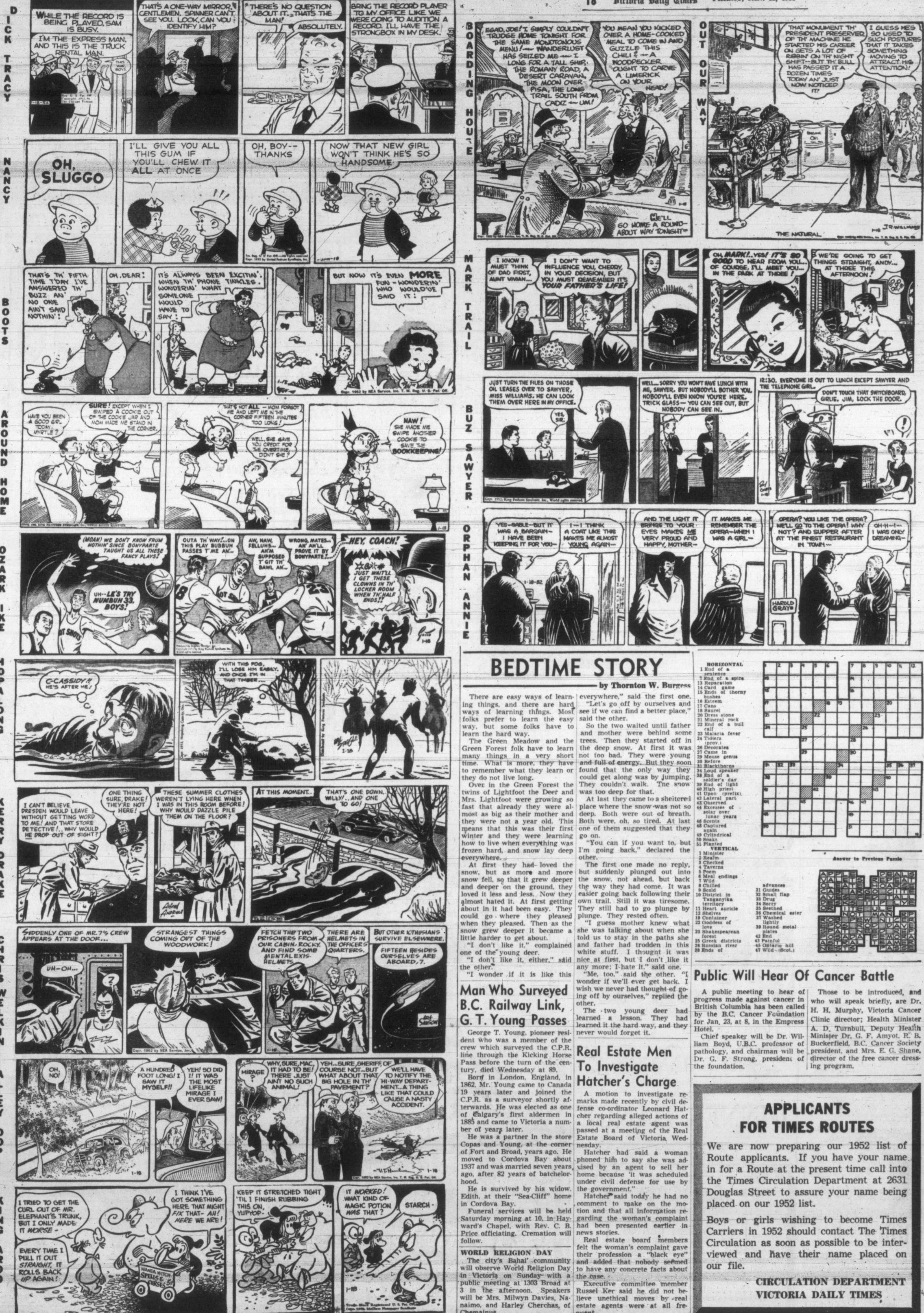
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**18 Victoria Daily Times**

**FRIDAY, JAN. 18, 1952**

**BOARDING HOUSE**

**OUT OUR WAY**

**THE NATURAL**

**12:50, EVERYONE IS OUT TO LUNCH EXCEPT SAWYER AND THE TELEPHONE GIRL.**

**DO NOT TOUCH THAT SWITCHBOARD, GIRLIE. JIM, LOCK THE DOOR.**

**OPERAS? YOU LIKE THE OPERA? WELL, GO TO THE OPERA! WHY NOT? AND SUPPER AFTER AT THE FINEST RESTAURANT IN TOWN...**

**OH-H-I... I WAS ONLY DREAMING...**

**BEDTIME STORY** by Thornton W. Burgess

There are easy ways of learning things, and there are hard ways of learning things. Most folks prefer to learn the easy way, but some folks have to learn the hard way.

The Green Meadow and the Green Forest folk have to learn many things in very short time. What is more, they soon have to remember what they learn or they do not live long.

Over in the Green Forest the twins of Lightfoot the Deer and Mrs. Lightfoot were growing so fast that already they were almost as big as their mother and they were not a year old. This means that this was their first winter and they were learning how to live when everything was hard, and snow lay deep everywhere.

"Let's go off by ourselves and see if we can find a better place," said the first one.

So the two waited until father and mother were behind some trees. Then they started off in the deep snow. At first it was not too bad. They were young and full of energy. But they soon found that the only way they could get along was by jumping. They couldn't walk. The snow was too deep for that.

At last they came to a sheltered place where the snow was not so deep. Both were out of breath. Both were, oh, so tired. That last of them suggested that they go to sleep.

"You can if you want to, but I'm going back," declared the other.

The first one made no reply, but suddenly plunged out into the snow, not ahead, but back the way they had come. It was easier going back following their own trail. Still it was tiresome. They still had to go plunge by plunge. They rested often.

"I guess mother knew what she was talking about when she told us to stay in the paths she and father had trodden in this white stuff. I thought it was nice at first, but I don't like it any more; I hate it," said one.

"Me, too," said the other. "I wonder if we'll ever get back. I wish we never had thought of going off by ourselves," replied the other.

The two young deer had learned a lesson. They had learned it the hard way, and they never would forget it.

**Real Estate Men To Investigate Hatcher's Charge**

A motion to investigate remarks made recently by civil defense co-ordinator Leonard Hatcher regarding alleged actions of a local real estate agent was passed at a meeting of the Real Estate Board of Victoria Wednesday.

Hatcher had said a woman phoned him to say she was advised by an agent to sell her home because it was scheduled under civil defense for use by the government.

Hatcher said today he had no comment to make on the motion and that all information regarding the woman's complaint had been presented earlier in news stories.

Real estate board members felt the woman's complaint gave their profession a "black eye" and added that nobody seemed to have any concrete facts about the case.

Executive committee member Russel Ker said he did not believe unethical moves by real estate agents were at all frequent.

**Public Will Hear Of Cancer Battle**

A public meeting to hear of progress made against cancer in British Columbia has been called by the B.C. Cancer Foundation for Jan. 23, at 8, in the Empress Hotel.

Chief speaker will be Dr. William Boyd, U.B.C. professor of pathology, and chairman will be Dr. G. F. Strong, president of the foundation.

**APPLICANTS FOR TIMES ROUTES**

We are now preparing our 1952 list of Route applicants. If you have your name in for a Route at the present time call into the Times Circulation Department at 2631 Douglas Street to assure your name being placed on our 1952 list.

Boys or girls wishing to become Times Carriers in 1952 should contact The Times Circulation as soon as possible to be interviewed and have their name placed on our file.

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**VICTORIA DAILY TIMES**

## B.C. Has Shortage Of Radio, TV Technicians

An acute shortage of experienced radio and television technicians is feared in British Columbia, according to the December report of the Unemployment Insurance Commission.

"With the increased sale of television sets, a short supply of experienced technicians is developing and dealers fear that within the next few months this

### Panama Uranium Offer Reported \$3,000,000

PANAMA, Jan. 18 (AP)—The newspaper Panama American reported Wednesday that a farmer in Tole in northwestern Panama had been offered \$3,000,000 by an unnamed United States company for his land because uranium had been discovered there.

### THE HOLE IN THE BATHROOM FLOOR



For some time now, it has caused me wrath, the hole in the lino, beside the bath. "It just looks A-W-F-U-L," the G.F. cries. "I'm ashamed of the place in visitor's eyes. And it doesn't look good, & that's for sure, especially with you . . . in-furniture." "O.K.," I replied, "I'll have a look-see," & so I got down on creaking knee. I shoved my chisel, heath the quarter-round, right thru I saw the board wasn't sound. "Hm-mm-mm," I said, with utmost gravity. I felt like a dentist, with too deep a cavity. "I'll have to come out, yes, I'll have to remove, but—how do I get this tongue from the groove?" I sat on the chenille, but the problem grew, then decided to do what I always do. My theory I know, isn't so hot, I just picked up my hammer & hit it a swat.

I must have given a real hefty blow, I smashed it right thru to the ship-lap below. "The larger forceps," to the "nurse" I said, but the nail broke off, too weak was the head. "I'll have to use elevators, that is plain & another shot, too, of novacain." "Oh goodness," she said, and handed my chisel, "are you quite sure, Doctor, you won't make a fizzle?" "I'm quite steady, thank you, just keep your head," the tooth (I mean board) flew high over-head. Her look revealed she admired my actions, "your marvellous Doctor, with these tough extractions." This extravagant praise, I did lightly dismiss. "Come in the lab & I'll give you a kiss." Away from me she tried to swerve. "Oh, Doctor," she breathed, "you've such a nerve." I lifted her face from her chin beneath, "I've got nerve enuff, for two rows of teeth." "Now . . . L-O-O-K," she said, "don't get sore," & so we looked at the hole in the bathroom floor. "Well, Dr., just what do we do with the linoleum, of course, we'll have to re-new." A bell rang then. I got off the floor, she went below, to answer the door. "Why . . . yes, dear," she said, "your Uncle's up-stairs, run on up & give him the scares." Now Rickey is 5, his smile is pure gold, tall stories to him, I have many times told. And always in the past, he'd laugh & shout, but of late the truth, he's been somewhat in doubt. "BOO," he shouted, bashed open the door, then joined me there & we sprawled on the floor. Just the SIGHT of a hammer, that's all Rickey needs, and care if his finger bleeds. "Go right ahead, hit it a swat, you sure are getting a much better shot." Then he arosoe and wondering stood. "I'm smashing it," I replied, "cause we're right out of wood." That doubtless smile spread o'er his face, "yes, we haven't any wood for our fireplace. And I can't get any from the store, so I'm busting up this bathroom floor. So go ahead, let's have more clamor, go on home, get your own hammer." He laughed so hard he fell on his back, then he grabbed MY hammer, again to attack. "You hit with that hatchet, c'mon Uncle Mori," and this is the end of a VERY TRUE STORY.



HUIIBER'S  
"Barley," Bruce and "The Doc."

HIDE YOUR FURNACE in the floor . . . let us estimate what it would cost to put a floor furnace in YOUR home . . . the cost is small & the upkeep smaller. Dr. Harry Mitchell (my colleague) is all set to come & visit you . . . he has a lovely floor-side manner . . . Make an appointment, eh?? E 2111.

shortage will be a serious problem," said the report.

Auto mechanics, bodymen and partsmen are also in short supply in the garage business.

Dealing with construction in the province as a whole, the report said prospects for 1952 appear to be exceptionally good with a large volume of industrial, institutional and public utility projects scheduled for the coming months.

"However, there is no indication of any revival in the building of family housing at this time," the report stated.

Reviewing the entire year, the report said payrolls are higher than any other time in history.

### BOOTS EDUCATION

More than 3,000 Danish workers attend free evening classes organized by the trade unions of Denmark.

### Jukes' Socreds Meet For Dinner Address

Major A. H. Jukes, provincial president of the Social Credit Association of Canada in British Columbia, will address a public meeting this evening at 8 in Lougheed's Banquet Club.

Members of the provincial council of the association will meet at 5 at the same place. A dinner for members and their guests will follow.

### Pledged To Wipe Out World Trade Losses

LONDON, Jan. 17 (AP)—Eighteen British Commonwealth nations, not including Canada, pledged Thursday to wipe out all their world trade losses by late 1952.

The move to save the British sterling area's trade and monetary system from collapse will spread austerity to most of the Commonwealth's 500,000,000 citizens.

The man in the street in each

country will have to work harder and buy less to enable his government to sell more.

The alternative is virtual bankruptcy. Then the country would not be able to buy any essential foodstuffs from other countries.

Commonwealth finance ministers resolved in secret talks today that each of their governments must quit spending more than it is earning by the second half of this year.

The task will be a tremendous one. In the second half of 1951, the gold-dollar reserves of the sterling partners dried by \$1,500,000,000.

But there is some evidence that things may get a little better for the Commonwealth.

The value of British exports is climbing steadily, hitting an all-time peak of about \$80,000,000,000 in 1951.

A fall in imports from the

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sterling area by the United States seems to be ending.

The ratio of import prices to export prices has begun to move back in favor of the sterling area.

BELLINGFORD, Eng. (CP)—England's few remaining historic windmills are slowly breaking down. One local mill was closed because the stock which holds the sails cannot be replaced, because of lack of spare parts.

# It Pays to Shop at EATON'S

## 9 O'CLOCK SPECIALS

On Sale from 9 to 10 A.M.  
No Phone or Mail Orders, Please

### Children's Party Shoes

- Black patent leather strap shoes
- Also a group of wine leather monk strap shoes
- Composition soles
- Sizes 6 to 12 and 12½ to 3 collectively
- 9 o'clock Special, pair

EATON'S—Shoes, Second Floor

339

### Peggy Sage Set

- Marionette sets by a well-known maker
- Consists of a bottle of polish remover and a bottle of nail polish
- Polish in Orange Spice shade only
- 9 o'clock Special, set

EATON'S—Toiletries, Main Floor

39c

### Women's Lisle Hose

- Substandards of a leading Canadian manufacturer
- Fashioned lisle (cotton) hosiery
- Grand for everyday wear in cold weather
- Colours . . . pepper and rose beige . . . sizes 8½ to 10½
- 9 o'clock Special, pair

EATON'S—Hosiery, Main Floor

79c

### Boiling Fowl

- Priced low Saturday for thrifty shoppers
- Grade A boiling fowl
- 3 to 4 lb. average
- 9 o'clock Special, lb.

EATON'S—Meats, Lower Main Floor

41c

### Breakfast Cereal

- Newport Fluffs, a delicious breakfast cereal
- Fresh, crisp and tasty . . . all the family will enjoy them!
- Selling Saturday at a special low price!
- 9 o'clock Special, pair

EATON'S—Foodeteria, Lower Main Floor

25c

6 pks. for

### Weatherstripping

- "Storm King" weatherstripping
- Of hemmed and ribbed bronze
- Nails and complete instructions enclosed
- 20 feet to a carton, 1½ inches wide
- 9 o'clock Special, pkg.

EATON'S—Hardware, Lower Main Floor

99c

## 2 O'CLOCK SPECIALS

On Sale from 2 to 3 P.M.  
No Phone or Mail Orders, Please

### Men's Shirts

- Substandards of men's broadcloth shirts
- With fused or Windsor collars
- Mostly white in the group
- Sizes 14½ to 17
- 2 o'clock Special, each

EATON'S—Bargain Basement

149

### Rayon Panties

- Brief style panties
- With elastic waist and elastic or band cuffs
- Yellow, terracotta, blue and white
- Small, medium and large
- 2 o'clock Special, pair

EATON'S—Bargain Basement

59c

### Women's Shoes

- Wine and black plastic casuals
- With open wedge heels, open toes and platform composition soles
- Sizes 4 to 9
- 2 o'clock Special, pair

EATON'S—Bargain Basement

99c

### Training Panties

- Children's cotton knit training panties
- Reinforced gusset and elastic waistband
- Pink, maize and white
- Sizes 2, 4 and 6
- 2 o'clock Special, pair

EATON'S—Bargain Basement

26c

### Games Books

- Choice of three games books
- Hoyle Official Rules of Card Games
- 50 Card Games for Children
- 100 Games of Solitaire
- 2 o'clock Special, each

EATON'S—Books, Lower Main Floor

12c

### Tablecloths

- Smartly-designed plastic tablecloths
- In an attractive white lace effect
- Easily cleaned with a damp cloth
- Size approx. 57 x 84
- 2 o'clock Special, each

EATON'S—Notions, Main and Lower Main Floor

49c

## Traveller's Samples of New Spring Handbags

Your chance to really save on these traveller's sample handbags . . . in all the latest spring styles! Plain and pleated bengaline, smooth plastic grain, alligator and lizard grained plastic and plastic cord. Clever pouch, satchel and boxy models . . . mostly one of a kind. Colours . . . brown, navy, red, green, grey and black. Early shopping is advisable for best selection!

EATON'S—Handbags, Main Floor

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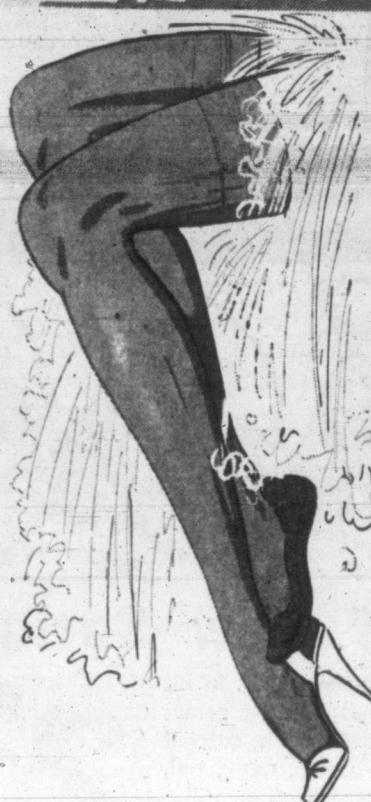
# SATURDAY A Big Day at EATON'S

## Save on Sheer Nylons

First quality, 15-gauge, 15-denier nylon hose tagged at a welcome low to save on your overstretched pocket-book. Gossamer sheer for afternoon and evening wear and fashioned with dark seams and panel heels. In soft shades of Twilight and Glooming... Sizes 8½ to 11. Buy several pair Saturday and save dollars!

Special, pair  
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EATON'S—Hosiery, Main Floor



## January Fur Sale Coney Coats

(dyed rabbit)

Save dollars on your new fur coat in this January Fur Sale at EATON'S! Featured Saturday are lovely Coney coats (dyed rabbit) in the latest styles. Have rippling backs, small collars and cuffed sleeves, and come in three popular lengths... in a rich sable brown dye. Sizes 12 to 20 in the group.

### JANUARY FUR SALE

28-Inch Toppers, each	<b>67<sup>00</sup></b>
32-Inch Toppers, each	<b>78<sup>00</sup></b>
Full length, each	<b>88<sup>00</sup></b>

Budget Plan Terms Available If Desired  
EATON'S—Furs, Second Floor



## Basque Berets

A versatile little beret to wear any time, any place! Comfortable and smart, and grand for windy weather... wear it perfectly plain or add a little colour with a tailored feather. Comes in scarlet, white, green and navy... and it's priced low to fit almost any budget!

EACH  
**1 39**

EATON'S—Millinery, Second Floor



## GLENÉATON Shoes for Men

Good-looking designs, expert workmanship and the finest materials go into every pair of Glenéaton shoes... that's why you'll want to choose your next pair of shoes from the smart brogues, bluchers and balmorals in this selection. Uppers are from well cut calf leather, with leather soles and heels for long wear. Brown and black in the group. Sizes 6 to 11.

"Your Best Buy Is an EATON Brand." EATON Price, pair

**16<sup>95</sup>**

EATON'S—Shoes, Second Floor

## Choose a "Stetson" Hat

### The Signature of Quality

#### A Smart Addition to Your Spring Wardrobe

Discerning men prefer a "Stetson" for they know that Stetson's master craftsmen are experts in felting, shaping and blocking. Note the original style that contributes so much to a man's appearance. The new 1952 "Stetson" will convince you that for style, quality and value, the 1952 Stetson leads. New styles and colours. Sizes 6½ to 7½.

Stetson Royal, each

**10<sup>95</sup>**

EATON'S—Men's Hats, Main Floor



## Men's Jackets... Comfortably Styled

Winter-warm jackets for brisk, cold weather! Choose from all-wool melton cloths, cotton gabardines, suèdes, rayon gabardine or rayon grenfell cloths. Some with Mouton (sheared, dyed, processed lamb) collars. Long or waist length styles, some with heavy quilted rayon linings. A wide assortment of colours. Sizes 36 to 44. Each

**9<sup>95</sup>  
to  
29<sup>95</sup>**

EATON'S—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

## Winter-Weight Stanfield's Underwear

Fine combed cotton combinations that provide extra warmth and lots of comfort for winter and early spring wear! You'll like the no-button style, the well-tailored, snug-fitting cut... in ankle length, with short or long sleeves. Cream colour only... in sizes 36 to 44. Look to your needs now... choose this popular, moderately priced brand of underwear. Pair

EATON'S—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

**4<sup>50</sup>**

## Rugged Iron Man Work Pants

Reinforced for extra long wear... Made by G.W.G. craftsmen to fit comfortably on the job... Well styled for convenience. Has five roomy pockets, belt loops, cuff bottoms... in grey or brown. Waist sizes 30 to 42... Leg sizes 30 to 33. Pair

EATON'S—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

**6<sup>50</sup>**

## Another EATON Customer Service... Pay Telephones

You'll find pay telephones at these three convenient locations:

- Mezzanine Floor, Main Building
- Victoria Room, Main Building
- Floor Coverings, House Furnishings Building



Special

**39.95  
each**

Budget Plan Terms Available If Desired

EATON'S—Men's Clothing, Main Floor



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